

From: Mr. Phillip Grant #314973

Northern State Prison

168 Frontage Road

Newark, New Jersey 07114

To: United States District Court

District of New Jersey

ML King Jr. Federal Bldg & US Courthouse

50 Walnut Street

Newark, New Jersey 07102

02-4749

Dear Sir, Martin:

1) This Incident occurred at East Jersey State Prison. On 4-10-2013 I was assaulted by S.C.O. Delarosa. I then was handcuffed and escorted to medical by the S.C.O. And taken to the detention area and placed on I.C.C. I need the names of everyone that was involved. And reports of the occurred Incident.

2) This Incident occurred at Dayside State Prison. On 7-30-2013 I received a Charge For refusing to submit to a pat search (charge no 108) that I was found not guilty of.
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At that time of S.C. Cannon subdued me and call for assisting officers upon their arrival I was physically assaulted. I need the name of all assaulting officers and supervisor and reports, medical reports from Southern State Correctional Facility and Northern State Prison medical reports as well.

3.) And I need the names of officers and supervisors and central transit officers that was there and witnessed the assault and sexually humiliated situation that happened to me by assaulting officers and supervisor. And the incident occurring at Northern State Prison on 10-29-2013. So could you please subpoena the names and reports, medical reports from South Woods Prison and Northern State Prison medical reports and x-rays. And the name of the special investigation division staff member that interview me and had the doctor examine me and order the x-rays. (Continue on page 3)

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So could you please subpoena all the names
And reports, medical reports and x-rays
reports related to these 3 incidents and
send them to me so I may correctly file
my claims with your courts. The Special
Investigation Division Staff member
Interview me on 11/2013 about this inci-
dent occurring at Northern State Prison.

I thank you in advance for your time and
attention in this matter and look forward
to your immediate reply.

Respectfully Submitted,
Phillip Grant #314973
Phillip Grant
Dated March 7, 2014

C. Sweeney, Administrator
Northern State Prison
168 Frontage Road
Newark, N.J. 07114

February 10, 2014

Phillip Grant #11393B
Northern State Prison
168 Frontage Road
Newark, N.J. 07114

Case 2:02-cv-4749

Re: Appeal of disciplinary decision

On 12/2013 some one from the ombudsman office had an S.I.D staff member come to N.S.P ad-seg unit and interview me about the complaint I filed with your office that I was physically assaulted by B.S.P officers back on 7/30/2013. The S.I.D staff took my statement and explained that he would investigate the matter. He further explained that he would let me know the outcome of the investigation. I also sent the Governor, chief S.I.D officer, and the prosecutor office a letter. I informed them of the situation and pleaded with them to have me housed in protective custody. I only ask that you bring my situation to S.I.D attention A.S.A.P. Because on 1/23/2014 I received a 254 charge and the hearing officer somewhat understood my situation and gave me 15 days detention to allow me time to rectify the situation by making the appropriate legal calls to the ombudsman and explain my situation. I am only trying to inform S.I.D that they keep trying to send me back to B.S.P. I was scheduled to make a legal call last Friday however I never received that phone call while housed on delta P.H.D status. Once the 15 days detention was complete I was informed that I was being once again transferred to B.S.P and I once again refused and as a result I received another 254 charge. I got 15 days detention and 90 days ad-seg. I tried to explain to the officers that I filed a complaint of being physically assaulted by officers at B.S.P. I am in fear for my safety and I plead with you to suspend my ad-seg and consider

send my case to the Governor. I am also in fear at
 Northern State Prison

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 February 10, 2014

B.S.P. when they transferred me back to N.S.P ad-seg the officers and SGT who assaulted me
 Phillip Grant #11393B

Northern State Prison where I was housed. S.I.D came and visited me about that complaint on
 168 Frontage Road

11/20/14 N.J. 07114

receiving ~~Re: Approval of disciplinary decision~~ sent out or my Inmate Remedy Forms I sent out. My

rights are being violated from this housing situation. I have made legal calls to the ombudsman and P.H.D. ad-

seg unit. I had an interview on 1/21/2014 and the 2/7/2014 I was filed with my right officer and I was physically

assaulted by B.S.P. officers back on 7/30/2013. They said they were considering me in Mid-Six and

housed in protective custody. He further explained that he would let me know the

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sending me to Mid-State so that I will not keep getting these refusal charges. I am also in fear at N.S.P as well because on 10/29/2013 I was released from ad-seg and the N.S.P supervisor and officers physically assaulted me and sexually humiliated me and when they forced me back to B.S.P. when they transferred me back to N.S.P ad-seg the officers and SGT who assaulted me was assigned to 1 wing where I was housed. S.I.D came and visited me about that complaint on 11/2013 and in retaliation N.S.P officers here are not allowing me to get things done. I am not receiving a reply back on any of the letters I sent out or my Inmate Remedy Forms I sent out. My rights are being violated, I also have the right to make a legal call when housed on P.H.D status as per N.J.A.C. on 1/31/2014 and 2/7/2014 I was denied my right to make a legal call as scheduled. Please look into this matter in its entirety and consider sending me to Mid-State or housed in protective custody.

OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMANNew Jersey Department of Corrections
P. O. Box 863, Trenton, New Jersey 08625**REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE FORM**

(Please use a separate form for each issue/complaint)

NAME: Phillip Grant SBI # 11393-B SP# 314973
 INSTITUTION: N.S.P. HOUSING UNIT: Dunitkell DATE: 2-5-2014

The Office of the Ombudsman provides a concerned medium within which inmates can seek redress for problems and complaints encountered while incarcerated. Our office investigates complaints where the inmate has failed to get satisfactory results through available institutional channels. This office supplements, but does not replace, the Department of Corrections existing inmate Request/Remedy System. Therefore, please be advised that we may request/require that you utilize your correctional facility's Request/Remedy System before assisting you.

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS BEFORE PROCEEDING

1. What correctional facility were you in when the matter you are complaining about occurred? Northern State Prison
2. What was the date of the incident? 2-6-2014
3. Have you utilized the correctional facility's "Request/Remedy System" to address your concern? ☒ (YES) ☐ (NO)
4. Did you receive a response? (If "YES" please attach a copy of their reply.) ☒ (YES) ☐ (NO)
5. If you did not receive a response, what was the date you filed your complaint at the correctional facility? 1-28-14-2-5-14

DESCRIBE YOUR ISSUE OR COMPLAINT (Continue on another sheet of paper, if necessary and/or attach copies of any supporting documentation.)

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What do you think should be done to resolve your problem?

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that I Filed a physically Assaulted Complaint against B.S.P. Officers. And I am In Fear For my Safety as well. So I am pleading with your Supervisor, S.T.O staff member to have me transferred From N.S.P. to Mid State Prison, IF that would keep me From being send back to N.S.P. Ad-seg For another 90 days. Because It like I am living In Fear here at N.S.P. And the reason why I say this Is because on 10-29-2013 when I was release From Ad-seg N.S.P. Supervisor, officers physically assaulted and sexilly humiliated me. when they Force me back to B.S.P. And when they transferred me back to N.S.P. Ad-seg unit on living where one of the officers was assigned to and S.G.T. supervised that was Involved In physically assaulted and sexilly humiliated me. And when I Filed the complaint with your office. Then your office had S.T.O staff member Interview me and took my statement on 11-2013. And In retaliation they are not allowing me to get anything done here In N.S.P. And I am not receiving any reply back From the letter I send to the Governor, Chief S.T.O. staff member, Prosecutor office and my Inmate remedy From as well. I have to call your office and ask someone could they come see me And get my Inmate Remedy form or explain the situation to you. Because that the only way I going to get done here. (Continue on

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~~My complaint is that I was denied a legal call on 1-31-2014, 2-7-2014 and both times I was denied. And if they are going to keep on trying to send me back to B.S.P. every time my 90 days sanction is up, I would really appreciate if you could have me transferred from N.S.P. to another prison Ad-seg unit if the hearing officer give me more time in Ad-seg for my safety. And leave me there until my prison time is up or have me placed in P.C. or have me transferred to mid state prison.~~

And my right are being violated here in N.S.P. as well. Because on 1-28-2014 the hearing officer told me it is my right to make a legal call when I am on P.H.D status. Then he had the paralegal schedule me for a legal call on 1-31-2014, 2-7-2014 and both times I was denied. And if they are going to keep on trying to send me back to B.S.P. every time my 90 days sanction is up, I would really appreciate if you could have me transferred from N.S.P. to another prison Ad-seg unit if the hearing officer give me more time in Ad-seg for my safety. And leave me there until my prison time is up or have me placed in P.C. or have me transferred to mid state prison.

Thank you
Phillip Grant

What do you think should be done to resolve your problem?

Phillip Grant, 314973
Bayside State Prison
P.O. Box F-1
Leesburg, New Jersey 07202

May 13, 2013

Theodore J. Romankow, Prosecutor
Office of the Prosecutor
32 Rahway Avenue
Elizabeth, New Jersey 07202

Re: Criminal Charges/Assault

Dear Mr. Romankow:

Kindly accept this letter as my request to pursue charges against a staff member currently employed by Department of Corrections at the East Jersey State Prison in Rahway. I will provide a factual statement of what occurred below that you might initiate the requested charges. The staff member in question is S.C.O. DeLarosa, who has a history of this form of conduct. I therefore request your immediate intervention.

On April 10, 2013, while returning from the recreation yard, down under, I was confronted by an overly aggressive S.C.O. Delarosa, screaming in my face, "why the fuck are you looking at me like that!!!?" Totally shocked, I looked to my side and observed two officers, who appeared to be standing at the ready. I then placed my hands in the air in an attempt to let staff know that I had no intention of being aggressive or addressing the comment made. In an attempt to walk around Delarosa, with my hands still in the air, I was forcefully pushed and nearly knocked down. All of the aforementioned activities took place in front of the surveillance camera located down under. Following the assault, I proceeded to 7 Wing, retrieved my identification card and gave it to the down under Sergeant, explaining that I wanted to press charges on delarosa for assault. I was then handcuffed and escorted to medical by the Sgt. and another escorting officer. There, I was medically cleared and taken to the detention area and placed on TCC.

Shortly thereafter, I received a visit from Ms. Strickland from SID, who took my statement explaining that she would investigate the matter. She further explained that she would let me know something within the 72 hours she had to investigate. Since that time, I have heard absolutely nothing from her. I have also been transferred from E.J.S.P. and am now housed in bayside State Prison. hence, my request for the initial filing for charges against the officer in question.

I thank you in advance for your time and attention in this matter and look forward to your immediate reply.

Respectfully submitted,


Phillip Grant

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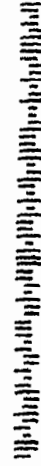
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